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SUBJECT: VII OASGA: INFORMAL DIAL
RUE AND ARGENTINE DELEGATION

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1. IN DISCUSSION WITH EMBOFF JUNE 3, CHIEF OF OAS DIVISION OF
FONMIN MINISTER ALBERTO ADEN (NEWLY APPOINTED) AGREEED THAT
EXTENSION OF INFORMAL DIALOGUES INTO JUNE 16 TO INSURE FULLEST
PARTICIPATION OF SEC. VANCE WAS ESSENTIAL. HE PROMISED CABLE
ARGENTINE OAS REPRESENTATIVE IMMEDIATELY WITH APPROPRIATE GUIDANCE.

2. ADEN SAID GOA DELEGATION TO OASGA WOULD DEPART ARGENTINA OB

JUNE 12, HEADED BY NEW FONMIN ADMIRAL MONTES. UNDER SEC CAPTAIN
(NAVY) ALLARA, ADEN HIMSELF, AND MINISTER JUAN CARLOS ARLIA WI
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BE PRINCIPAL MEMBERS OF DELEGATION, WITH SUPPORTING STAFF
INCLUDING ONE MINISTER FROM ECONOMIC DIVISION.

3. AS NOTED IN REFTEL B, ARLIA IS NOW KEY FONMIN OFFICIAL ON
HUMAN RIGHTS, AND ADEN CONFIRMED THAT HIS PRESENCE ON DELEGATION
RELATES PRIMARILY TO EXPECTED HUMAN RIGHTS PROBLEMS IN OASGA.

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4. COMMENT: ADEN HIMSELF- IS NEW FIGURE TO US, AND SAYS THAT
HE HAS NEVER VISITED THE US. HE HAS JUST COME FROM ASSIGNMENT
IN EUROPE AND HAS JUST REACHED HIS RANK AS MINISTER. IN
LIMITED CONTACT WITH EMBOFFS SO FAR, HE HAS APPEARED FRIENDLY
AND OPEN, AND STILL A BIT UNCERTAIN IN HIS NEW POSITION.
WE BELIEVE HE WOULD WELCOME CLOSE RELATION WITH USOAS STAFF.
IN DISCUSSION OF OAS REFORM AS ONE OF MATTERS TO COVER AT OASGA,

ADEN STARTLED EMBOFF BY DISCUSSION OF NEED TO REWORK DRAFT
CHARTER AND TO TAKE IT OUT OF ANDS OF OAS PERMREPS. HIS
COMMENTS COULD HAVE COME ALMOST DIRECTLY OUT OF BRIEFING CABLES
ON USG POSITIONS WHICH WE HAVE RECEIVED, AND INDEED IT IS
POSSIBLE THAT HE HAS BEEN READING AIDES MEMOIRE WHICH WE HAVE
LEFT WITH OAS DIVISION IN PAST.
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